



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
37872-0004

In re Application of Tomihisa NAITO

Application Number 09/879,034

Filed June 13, 2001

For ATOMIZING APPARATUS AND METHOD

Group Art Unit  
3752

Examiner  
KIM, Christopher S.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ 930  
☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 465 .  
☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.  
☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 08-1641 .  
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). \_\_\_\_\_ .

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

September 24, 2003  
Date

Patricia D. Granados  
Signature

Patricia D. Granados, Reg. No. 33,683

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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below\*.

☒ \*Total of 1 forms are submitted.

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